

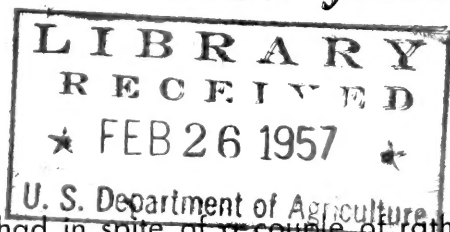
# Highly Commended Glads

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New Jersey

**1957**



Dear Patrons and other Glad Fanciers:

The past season was one of the best I have ever had in spite of a couple of rather dry periods during the growing season and I cannot irrigate my main planting plot and was not able to plant many of the varieties as early as I should to have them for the earlier shows. However, I won Sweepstakes at Five Shows including the Open classes at the Eastern International.

My 1957 Introductions as well as those of the preceeding five years have all been highly commended by one or more Gladiolus Experts. I have introduced quite a few medium (3xx) Glads because they are becoming much more popular. They are ideal for the average garden and home for they do not require the watering, fertilizing and staking that the large ones do to produce nice spikes and they are not difficult to arrange in the home. Also the medium classes now offer the easiest chances of winning Show Ribbons.

It is my general policy to introduce new varieties at moderate prices and to keep these prices for two years. My Glads are State Inspected and are guaranteed to be healthy and true to name.

As my age (71) makes it necessary to cut down on my activities I am cutting prices somewhat in the hope that I will not have so many bulbs to plant this next season. I can afford to do this by issuing an inexpensive catalog.

EXCHANGE OFFER. I will consider offers of exchange of Ares, Canahri, Cherokee, Copper Lustre, King Size, Lorelei, Negus, Parma Violet Polar Cub, Tan-Glo, Vera; White Sails or other excellent newer varieties for mine.

## NEW INTRODUCTIONS

**GAY PINK (343)** Early. Lory Ann & Red Rosie. Medium pink with very large white throat blotch. Seven  $4\frac{1}{4}$ " wide- open florets. 5 in color, on 21 bud 23" flowerhead. Grows 50" tall. A good early Commercial and Show variety. Won 4 firsts and 2 seconds in '56.

C PRICES

**NEW BRUNSWICK (268)** L. Mid: Farmingdale seeding. Dark purplish lavender, rose stippling in cream throat. Seven  $3\frac{1}{4}$ " wavy florets open, 5 in color, on 19 bud 27" flowerhead. Grows 52" tall: A fine addition to a weak class.

C PRICES

**PASSAIC (486)** Late: Tunia's Mahomet & Elizabeth the Queen. Brownish rose-smoky, rose and cream lines and stippling in throat. Eight  $5\frac{1}{4}$ " ruffled, round wide-open florets. 7 in color, on 19 bud 24 " flowerhead. Grows 56" tall. Greatly admired by Beulah Fortman and Jay Ditman.

A PRICES

**P. O: SPORT (271)** Mid. Sport of Purple Orchid. Rose purple with broad yellow plume. Six  $3\frac{1}{4}$ " wide open florets, 6 in color, on 18 bud 18" flowerhead. Grows 52" tall. Provides another entry in a rather weak class.

C PRICES

**SOMERSET (421)** Late Mid. Daisy Mae & Chief Pontiac. Light orange, pale orange-red blotch. Dittman calls it "an orange Picardy": Eight  $5\frac{1}{4}$ " slightly ruffled and recurved, round, wide-open florets, 6 in color, on 20 bud 32" flowerhead: Grows 61" tall.

A PRICES

**SUSSEX (367)** L. Mid. Mary Jo & Lory Ann. Medium lavender, large rosy-maroon blotch. Nine  $4\frac{1}{4}$ " slightly ruffled, round, wide-open florets. 7 in color, on 22 bud 30" flowerhead. Grows 63" tall.

B PRICES

**WEE RED (151)** Mid. Sport of Tiny Red. Light red with yellow throat plume ending in a dart. Five  $2\frac{1}{4}$ " florets open, 3 in color on 15 bud 14" flowerhead. Grows 30" tall. A worthy addition to a weak section.

C PRICES

## EARLIER RELEASES

**ALL BLOTCHES ('53) 261 E. Mid.** Light creamy rose with very large rose-purple blotches on three lower petals, very striking miniature. Rated first in its class in Cedar Rapids G. S. '56 Symposium. Won 5 firsts for me in '56.

H PRICES

**BARBARA B ('52) 453, E. Mid.** Bright medium rose, large white throat blotch. Fine commercial and ribbon winner.

I PRICES

**BEIGE ORCHID ('52) 390, Mid.** Light to deep beige, scarlet feathering and lines in buff throat. Very unusual color. Has won many Blue Ribbons.

I PRICES

**BERGEN ('54) 470, Mid.** Tall brilliant rose purple. Though it sometimes has misplaced florets they can usually be easily put in place and it was my best ribbon winner in '56 with 7 firsts and 5 seconds. Very fine for road stands and local florists rave over its beauty.

F PRICES

**CAMDEN ('54) 408 or 410, Mid.** Deep cream (or very light yellow) pale lavender throat lines. "Best Seedling" and Best Recent Introduction at N. J. G. S. Seedling and R. I. Shows in '53 and '54 respectively.

F PRICES

**CAPE MAY ('54) 300 L. Mid.** Fine pure white, excellent commercial.

G PRICES

**CUMBERLAND ('54) 352, Mid.** Rich red with a few darker splotches.

G PRICES

**DAINTY LAVENDER ('55) 366 Midseason.** Ruffled clear light lavender.

E PRICES

ESSEX ('55) 401, Mid. Tall, ruffled, wide-open white with cross-shaped purple blotch. C PRICES

FARMINGDALE ('54) 268, Mid. Dark lavender with lemon throat stippling. Rated first in its class in Cedar Rapids G. S. '56 Symposium. Won 3 firsts, 5 seconds for me in '56. G PRICES

GAY LAVENDER ('56) 467 L. Mid. Bright rosy-lavender with large creamy-white throat blotches. Very beautiful. A PRICES

GAY PURPLE ('53) 471, L. Mid. Medium rose-purple with large white throat blotch. G PRICES

GAY SCARLET ('54) 337, Mid. Bright scarlet, cream throat feathering. Good commercial! and frequent ribbon winner. F PRICES

GLOUCESTER ('55) 460. Mid. Medium and light rose intermingled and shading lighter towards throat. C PRICES

HEARTS IN SNOW ('56) 501, Very Late. Pure white with very large heart-shaped scarlet blotches on all lower petals. A sure eye-catcher whose only faults are its Lateness and its rather slow increase. Two firsts and 3 seconds for me in '56. L \$5.00, M \$3.50, S \$1.75, B, 10 for \$5.00 - Package \$17.50.

HUDSON ('55) 354 Late. Purplish maroon with narrow white margin around all petals. Three firsts and 2 seconds in '56. D PRICES

MERCER ('56) 317, Late. Ruffled apricot-buff, pale salmon blotch. Has won several section championships. No Large or Medium Bulbs. A PRICES

MIDDLESEX ('56) 301, Mid. Creamy white with deep rose plume. C PRICES

MONMOUTH ('56) 422, Late. Ruffled brilliant orange with scarlet wedge. "Good Seedling Award" at Eastern International in 1954 and 1955. L. \$3.00, M \$2.00, S \$1.00, Bbts 10 for \$3.00, "Package" \$10.50.

MORPHO ('55) 379, Mid. Purplish Violet, purple throat surrounded by white. D PRICES

MORRIS ('56) 341, L. Mid. Blush pink with a dainty lavender plume. Two Section Championships in '56. C PRICES

PAL'S GAL ('55) 261. Mid. Clear rose pink shading lighter to throat. Small deep rose blotch and rib dart surrounded by white. Many side spikes. Bulbs have a tendency to develop brown stains but are quite healthy and vigorous. E PRICES

PURPLE ORCHID ('53) 271, Mid. Nice rangy rose-purple, yellow rib band in rose-maroon throat. A frequent ribbon winner and rated first in its class in Cedar Rapids '56 Symposium and third in N. A. G. C. Symposium though not yet very widely distributed. H PRICES

ROSIE ANN ('52) 364, Early. An excellent rose red commercial. J PRICES

SON O'PAL ('53) 261, E. Mid. Light and medium rose, crimson spot in lemon blotch. Good commercial. Frequent ribbon winner and sixth in N. A. G. C. Symposium though not very widely distributed. Rangier than Little Pal which still leads its class. I PRICES

TINY RED ('55) 153, Mid. Rich ruby-red with a pretty yellow and red throat plume tipped with a yellow rib dark. E PRICES

## PRICES AND TERMS

LETTER	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL	BULBETS	"PACKAGES"
"A"	\$2.00	\$1.35	\$.65	10 for \$2.00	\$7.00
"B"	1.50	1.00	.50	10 for 1.50	5.25
"C"	1.00	.65	.35	10 for 1.00	3.50
"D"	.75	.50	.25	10 for .50	2.65
"E"	.50	.30	2 for .30	20 for .50	1.35
"F"	.35	2 for .45	4 for .45	15 for .25	
"G"	.25	2 for .30	4 for .30	20 for .25	
"H"	.20	2 for .25	4 for .25	25 for .25	
"I"	2 for .30	3 for .30	5 for .25	30 for .25	
"J"	3 for .30	5 for .30	8 for .25	45 for .25	

"Packages" to contain 1L, 2M, 3S (or equivalent) and 10B. Five units of same variety and size at 4 times the unit price and 25 units at 17 times unit price. Postage will be pre-paid on all orders over \$3.00, but postage should be included on any smaller orders. Extras to the value of 10% of the orders may be selected on ones over \$5.00 and 15% on orders over \$10.00. These will be in addition to whatever extras I may wish to add for trial.

## Other Good Smaller Flowered Varieties

VARIETY	CLASS SEASON	DESCRIPTION	PRICES
Atom	236 Mid.	Bright scarlet, cream edge.....	"J"
Bo Beep	231 Ear.	Ruffled buff-pink, yellow throat.....	"J"
Claucarcy	241 L. Mid.	Pink with cream throat and ribs.....	"J"
Flicker	221 Mid.	Light orange, red throat mark.....	"J"
Gremlin	251 Early.	Bright rosy-red, yellow markings.....	"J"
Jingles	230 Late.	Pinkish Salmon.....	"J"
Little Gold	220 Mid.	Ruffled, deep yellow orange.....	"J"
Little Pal	261 Mid.	Bright rose-pink, rose plume.....	"J"
Nadia	231 Late.	Light salmon, clear yellow throat.....	"J"
Ocean Spray	207 E. Mid.	Creamy white, amber yellow blotch.....	"J"
Pink Ribbon	242 Late.	Medium pink, cream throat.....	"J"
Red Tweedle	153 L. Mid.	Medium red, rose blotch in gold throat.....	"J"
Ruby	252 E. Mid.	Pure, medium red. ....	"J"
Scarlet Butterfly	237 Late.	Scarlet, red and gold throat.....	"J"
Smilette	262 Early.	Dusty rose.....	"J"
Statuette	213 Early.	Fine ruffled yellow, red throat stippling.....	"J"
Tiny Rose	262 Mid.	Mediom rose.....	"J"
Tweedledee	262 Mid.	Light rosy red, with gold suffusion.....	"J"
Tweedledum	265 Mid.	Deep rose, rose feathered yellow throat.....	"J"
White Tweedle	201 Mid.	White with purple rose plume.....	"J"

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SMALL FLOWERED COLLECTION, One each of New Brunswick, Pal's Gal, P. O. Sport, Tiny Red and Wee Red, two each of All Blotches, Farmingdale, Purple Orchid and Son O'Pal, plus three each of any three other good small varieties. LARGE \$5.00 MEDIUM \$3.25.

### Other Good Larger Varieties

VARIETY	CLASS SEASON	DESCRIPTION	PRICES
Birch Red	552 Late.	Pure medium red.....	"J"
Black Cherry	554 L. Mid.	Fine black red.....	"J"
Brazil	491 E. Mid.	Reddish Brown.....	"J"
Bridal Orchid	566 L. Mid.	Pastel lavender .....	"J"
Brown Orchid	390 L. Mid.	Brown, darker blotch, gold ribs.....	"J"
Bruce Van	316 E. Mid.	Ruffled blend of rose and yellow.....	"J"
Chamouny	462 Mid.	Cerise rose, light petal edge.....	"J"
Chinook	532 L. Mid.	Tall rich clear salmon .....	"J"
Cupid	300 E. Mid.	Beautiful ruffled white.....	"J"
Dieppe	436 L. Mid.	Bright scarlet, darker blotch.....	"J"
Dorothy Margaret	442 Mid.	Medium Pink lighter throat .....	"J"
Dusty Miller	486 Mid.	Smoky old rose, cream lines.....	"J"
Gene	410 Mid.	Heavily ruffled medium yellow.....	"J"
Glorious	332 L. Mid.	Deep Salmon, cream blotch.....	"J"
Golden Arrow	510 L. Mid.	Clear yellow commercial.....	"J"
King David	570 L. Mid.	Heavily ruffled purple, red throat.....	"J"
Madeline Hefty	462 L. Mid.	Ruffled lavender rose .....	"J"
Margaret Jean	520 E. Mid.	Rich light orange.....	"J"
Mid America	550 L. Mid.	Brilliant light red .....	"J"
Parthiena	568 Mid.	Very fine giant deep lavender.....	"J"
Pharaoh	530 Late	Coral pink, cream throat.....	"J"
R: B.	590 Late	Large rusty golden brown.....	"J"
Red Cherry	436 E. Mid.	Bright scarlet .....	"J"
Sherwood	570 L. Mid.	Tall red-purple .....	"J"
Spic and Span	444 L. Mid.	Very fine ruffled deep pink .....	"J"
Sterling	469 L. Mid.	Deep lavender, rosy feather .....	"J"
Valda	568 Mid.	Ruffled deep lavender .....	"J"
Vangold	312 Ear.	Rich deep yellow .....	"J"
Veecream	407 L. Mid.	Ruffled deep cream, scarlet blotch.....	"J"
Voodoo	586 Mid.	Large ruffled smoky bronze .....	"J"
War Paint	436 L. Mid.	Dark scarlet .....	"J"
Wedgewood	366 L. Mid.	Ruffled bright lavender, cream throat .....	"J"
White Goddess	500 Mid.	Heavily ruffled creamy white .....	"J"
White Lace	300 E. Mid.	Beautiful ruffled white .....	"J"
Wilma Dittman	516 L. Mid.	Buff Picardy sport .....	"J"

WHOLESALE PRICES PER 100  
Net F. O. B. Kingston, New Jersey

	Large	Medium	Small	1/2 Pt. Bulbets
Monmouth, Somerset	\$100.00	\$75.00	\$50.00	\$35.00
Gay Pink	50.00	35.00	20.00	20.00
Bergen, Camden, Gay Scarlet	\$15.00	10.00	5.00	5.00
Cape May, Cumberland,	12.00	8.00	4.00	4.00
All Blotches	10.00	7.00	3.50	3.00
Barbara B, Beige Orchid, Son O' Pal	7.50	5.00	2.50	2.50
Atom, Bo Peep, Claucarcy, Little Pal	Ruby, Tiny	Rose, Statuette,	White Tweedle.	
	5.00	3.00	1.50	1.50
100 Large Mixture	4.00	2.75	1.35	1.35
1000	28.00	18.00	9.00	1 qt. 4.00

If you are interested in any of my earlier introductions or any of my show entries you have seen (seedlings or named varieties) which are not listed, — write me and I may be able to supply a few bulbs.

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